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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

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AN ACT

relating to the sale of live animals in certain counties on a public highway or road, the right-of-way of a public highway or road, or a parking lot.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1. Section 285.001, Transportation Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 285.001. REGULATION OF ROADSIDE VENDOR AND SOLICITOR. To promote the public safety, the commissioners court of a county with a population of more than 1.3 [~~2.2~~] million by order may regulate the following if they occur on a public highway or road, in the right-of-way of a public highway or road, or in a parking lot in the unincorporated area of the county [~~or in the right-of-way of the highway or road~~]:

- (1) the sale of items by a vendor of food or merchandise, including live animals;
- (2) the erection, maintenance, or placement of a structure by a vendor of food or merchandise, including live animals; and
- (3) the solicitation of money.

SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2007.